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## Board of Trade Luncheon Was Spirited

Pep and New Projects Characterize Second Gathering at "The Inn."

At 6:30 last Wednesday evening the Board of Trade sat down to a splendid luncheon at "The Inn" after which for over an hour new plans and projects were discussed and worked out in a spirited and enthusiastic manner.

The report on the cemetery was received, a report on the proposed parks given and E. N. Clink and J. F. Kenny appointed to consult further with the present owners of the park property. A recommendation was made to have the City Commission number the streets preparatory to a city mail delivery. A petition was started which was directed to the Western Union Telegraph Company requesting that a Western Union Office be established here. Mr. W. H. Sloan was appointed a delegate to the Great Lakes Waterway Commission at Detroit on July 23-24, and it was recommended that the city also send Mayor Wilson.

A report from the Committee who have the "Dollar Day" in charge was an enthusiastic account of the excellent cooperation of East Jordan merchants.

A. R. VanHusen led in Community Singing and proved to be a fine leader. R. O. Bisbee, A. R. VanHusen and Jos. Ekstrom were appointed as a committee to make final decision for an East Jordan slogan. The slogan will be published next week.

## NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY THIS SATURDAY.

Botsford, Joining the colors.  
Bower, Skyriders.  
Bower, Flying U ranch.  
Burritt, Boy scout Crusoes.  
Comstock, Lads who dared.  
Driggs, Adventures of Arnold Adair.  
Garland, Ross Grant on the trail.  
Harvard, Captain Lucy and Lieutenant Bob.

Jackson, A community Church.  
Lange, The silver cache of the Pawnee.

Latham, Under orders.  
McCutcheon, A fool and his money.  
McKinney, Blue Heron cove.  
Paton, Life of Elizabeth Cary Agassiz.

Richmond, Under the country sky.  
Taggart, Captain Sylvia.  
Wemyss, Oranges and Lemons.  
Juvenile Books

Cowles, Favorite fairy tales retold.  
Davies, A little freckled person.  
Farrington, Tales of King Arthur.  
Jacobs, Europa's fairy tales.  
Johnson, Polly and the Wishing ring.

Latham, Marty lends a hand.  
Madison, Joan of Arc.  
Meigs, The pool of stars.  
Nida, Letters of Polly the pioneer.  
Nye, Adventures of the grayfur family.

Parker, Young heroes of the American navy.  
Patteson, How to have bird neighbors.

Perry, Girl's nest.  
Scoville, The out of doors club.  
Sindelar, Father Thrift and his animal friends.

Wells, How the present came from the past.  
Thompson, Wild kindred of fur, feather, and fin.

This world may be a vale of tears, but how do you know the next one won't be a mountain of fire?

Because you make many dollars doesn't necessarily mean that you have much sense.

Everything is relative. An aching corn is a joy beside an aching tooth, and parsley is only fit to eat because beets are not.

You can't live forever and you won't even live half that long if you don't cheer up.

Why does every old photograph make the victim look like he had just had a hard spell of sickness?

## Political Announcement

I will be a candidate for nomination for the office of County Road Commissioner on the Republican ticket at the primaries held August 31, 1920. Your support will be greatly appreciated. W. E. Byers, Charlevoix, Mich. Adv. 25th.

## Larceny And Auto Stealing

Three Men Get Their Wires Crossed With the Law.

Deputy Sheriff Cook was busy the past week untangling a couple cases of larceny and a case of auto stealing.

John Kovivinske of Rogers City was arrested for petit larceny of clothing and a suit case from the Commercial House and last Friday Justice Blount sentenced to thirty days in the Charlevoix jail.

Elver Sweet of Echo township was arrested for grand larceny of clothing, shoes and money from a boarder at the White Star and Justice Blount bound him over for trial in circuit court.

A Ford car was hired from Crowell's Livery Saturday night and the renter failed to return it. Investigation led to its being found near Mackinaw City. A warrant is out for the arrest of Robert Aikens who is charged with being implicated in the deal.

## WELDY—LENOSKY NUPTIALS WEDNESDAY

Popular Wilson Couple United in Marriage.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Weldy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Weldy of Wilson township, was united in marriage to Albert J. Lenosky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lenosky also of Wilson township, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church Wednesday, June 30th, at 9:00 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Fr. Biersens, performed the ceremony in the presence of a number of friends and relatives.

The bride wore a white satin dress and the couple were attended by Ralph and Miss Emma Lenosky, brother and sister of the groom.

At 7:00 o'clock that evening a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents which was attended by a host of friends of the contracting parties. The home was prettily decorated for the occasion and the happy couple were the recipients of many valuable presents.

The groom is a well-known and prosperous farmer of Wilson township where the couple will make their home. The bride has taught in our rural school for a number of years and is esteemed by everyone who knows her.

They left Friday on a wedding trip to Logansport, Ind., and other points.

## FARM BUREAU NEWS

We are very pleased to note inclination on the part of most of the farmers to fight the grasshopper pest this year. They have appeared in large numbers from some eight to twelve miles farther west than last year. The results obtained from the poison bait method last year substantiates our belief that crops and seedlings can be saved by its use, but it will not give results unless it is present, consistently and intelligently used. The cheap grasshopper poisons that have been used in former years, are extremely hard to obtain. We have had no money with which to buy them early and are doing our best to secure a supply at this time. In the meantime, the only poison we can recommend that is just as good is paris green. It will do the work but is more expensive. If a few dollars invested in paris green will save your seeds it is a mighty good investment. You cannot afford to lose it whatever the cost. This is the method of mixing the poison bait.

**THE POISON BAIT**  
Mix dry one bushel of sawdust and one pound of poison. Dissolve a scant pound of salt and a half-cup of blackstrap molasses in a gallon of water. Mix with the sawdust and poison and add all the water it will take without running off. Scatter this as you would sow grain wherever the hoppers are beginning to do damage. Better do this the last thing at night so the bait will be ready for the hungry hopper in the morning. It will not do the work after it is dried out.

**Remarks:**  
Old sawdust is better than fresh sawdust. Paris green and white arsenic are the kinds of poison to use. Do not use arsenate of lead or arsenate of calcium they will not give satisfactory results.

Numerous complaints have been received recently of damage being done by the striped cucumber or melon beetle as it is called. This is a little striped beetle that is found on

## "East Jordan, the Live Town."

Over eight hundred dollars raised during the past two weeks to fix country roads which are not even in Charlevoix County.

The finest High School in Northern Michigan in the process of construction to accommodate all the boys and all girls of all the people who live in East Jordan or near East Jordan or far from East Jordan.

A new concrete bridge across the lake in the process of construction.

In addition to Main-St. and State-St., three blocks of concrete pavement just completed, three more in the process of construction, and fifteen blocks more turnpiked, graveled, and improved.

The Post-Office elevated to the second class on July 1st which means city delivery.

A new industry just starting up which will soon employ a large number and is permanent.

A 75 per cent increase in the value of Real Estate in the past three months.

The best orchestra in Northern Michigan and a new band containing over twenty-five trained and professional musicians to begin with.

Over \$15,000 raised since March 1st by voluntary subscriptions for improvements in one form or another.

A new electric-power dam being constructed on Deer Creek which will make a total of 700 electric horse power available.

Plans are made for a "Dollar Day" which is going to be the biggest bargain day ever known in Northern Michigan.

Plans all made and contract let for beautifying the Cemetery and plans being worked out for two and possible three city parks.

A new hotel just opened up and both hotels full to overflowing.

The universal testimonies of traveling men that East Jordan merchants buy more goods and pay more promptly than in any other town of its size in the state.

More farmers trading in East Jordan, more resorters coming here, more people coming from neighboring towns to make purchases than ever before.

If there's another town in the state that can beat this record, we don't know it.

## "UNCLE TOM'S CABIN" COMING SAT. JULY 10TH.

Wm. J. Harvall's original "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company will give one performance in East Jordan on Saturday July 10, starting at 8:15 o'clock, in their big tent, which seats over 2000 people. Never was there a more lavish and adequate production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" as that given by the John F. Stowe Company. The scenes which are large enough to fill the most spacious stage could not be easily improved. Those representing the Ohio River in winter, the Rocky pass in which George Harris protects his family, the St. Claire plantation, the levee at New Orleans, the cotton fields in full bloom and the gorgeous transformation, "The Celestial City", are all most notable effects. Each picture the reality as closeley as paint and canvas will permit, and the stage perspective is so big that the effect is exceptionally pleasing.

The company numbers nearly fifty people. Big military band and concert orchestra requiring a special train of motor cars, trucks and trailers to transport from town to town.

## CHESTONIA NOTES

Joe Wieler and family of Flint are visiting at Homer Shepards.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Steinberg returned to Detroit Saturday after a ten days visit with friends.

Dr. Colden was called to J. H. Kochers Thursday to see a sick cow.

Mrs. Albert Kocher of Shelby is here for a visit with her brother and family B. L. Caukin and J. H. Kocher's family.

Colonel Snyder arrived at Alba Friday from Lansing where he attended M. A. C., from Alba he went to Pellston to visit his aunt and family and his mother, who is visiting there at Walter Jaquay's.

A big turn out at the Agricultural Meeting at the Jordan Town Hall, Wednesday night.

Who remembers a town that didn't have a Main street?

## Union Vesper Summer Services

Methodist and Presbyterian Churches To Unite Each Sunday.

Beginning next Sunday evening, July 4th, the congregations of the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches will hold Union Vesper Services at 7:00 p. m., standard time, alternating between the two churches. Sunday evening Rev. John Duncan will speak to the theme "The Greatest Thing in America" and the service will be held in the Methodist Church. Bright, wide-awake, interesting services are assured with music featuring. The preachers who have this in hand and who are working, to the delight of the public, hand in hand and heart to heart, believe that amid the jangling voices heard today in argument over world issues, political, social, economic, educational, religions, etc., there is heard the answer, in the midst of the confusion, that the christian religion, understood and believed and applied, is the only solvent of human ills. Hence these aggressive plans for these summer Sunday evenings.

It is hoped we will soon have the privilege of listening to the fine sermons the famous preacher, who resort at Sequanota each summer are capable of giving, and which East Jordan people have so enjoyed in the past.

## MILLET WILL MEET HAY CROP SHORTAGE

Can Be Planted Until Early July Sweet Clover Should be Cut Early and High.

In response to questions from many farmers of the state as to crops that may be sown at this late date in order to offset the shortage of the hay crop, C. R. Megee of the M. A. C. Farm Crops Department is sending out word that Millet may be safely sown as late as the first week of July. Sorghum is also mentioned as a possibility for a late crop to meet the hay shortage.

"One of the most dependable late crops is millet", says Professor Megee. "Common Millet will mature in from 60 to 85 days. The Golden is later in maturing, requiring from 85 to 90 days. Yields of from one and one-half to two tons per acre were secured the past season on the college experiment station field when millet was sown the latter part of June. Millets are usually sown with the ordinary grain drill at the rate of from 25 to 30 pounds per acre.

"Sorghums may also be used for this purpose, the Early Amber variety being best adapted to Michigan conditions. Good yields are usually secured by drilling solid with the grain drill, at the rate of from 35 to 40 pounds of seed per acre.

## CUT SWEET CLOVER EARLY

That sweet clover for hay should be cut early, just before the blossom buds appear, is also pointed out by Megee.

"Sweet clover becomes very woody after blooming, and is not nearly so palatable and does not make as good a hay as when cut at the earlier stage. This fact is overlooked by many farmers, since the alsike and red clover are usually cut after the blossoms have appeared.

Sweet clover does not propagate from a crown as does alfalfa, and consequently the stubble should be cut high enough so that a number of branches will develop into the second crop, which may be used for either hay or seed. If the crop is cut very close to the ground these branches will be removed and the second crop will not develop."

## CITY TAX NOTICE

City Taxes for the City of East Jordan for the year 1920 are due and payable from July 1st to July 31st inclusive without penalty.

On August 1st a collection fee of 2 per cent will be added and an additional 1 per cent on the first day of each succeeding month until taxes are paid.

Office will be open evenings on Saturdays and Pay Days only.

G. E. BOSWELL, City Treasurer.

Time changes all things—except your honest-to-goodness opinion of yourself.

## Consumers Aided By Farm Assn's

Growers' Marketing Associations Tend to Stabilize Food Supply.

That the present widespread organization of Michigan farmers carries with it future benefits for the city consumer, as well as for the agriculturist himself, is the opinion expressed in a recent interview by R. J. Baldwin, Director of Extension Work at the Michigan Agricultural College. The view held by some business men that co-operation among the farmers of the state is responsible for the threatened food shortage and for the high price of eatables is refuted by Mr. Baldwin, who points out that grower selling associations reduce the cost of marketing and tend to stimulate and stabilize production.

"Neither the farmer nor the consumer has complete information in regard to the cost of production nor the cost of marketing food stuffs, and consequently each has misimpressions and between them there are many misunderstandings", says Director Baldwin. "The consumer says he is suffering under high food prices. The producer knows that the prices he receives will scarcely assure him a profit.

"The farmer remembers that under the individual selling system the spread between the price he received and the price paid by the consumer was very great, and that neither the producer nor the consumer had any contact with the forces which established the original and final price. He has seen prices remain low while the season's crop was being bought by dealers, and rise when the bulk of the crop was in the hands of the jobber. The lack of collective bargaining power has weakened the farmer's morale and undermined his faith in his business, resulting in unfavorable rural life conditions, and exodus from the country, an unstable condition of agriculture, and, consequently, a decreased food production.

"The consumer has no reason to fear the collective power of the producers of food, but rather should rejoice in the growth of their organization and look forward to the future with more confidence and optimism because of the stimulus they will give to efficient, standardized production. Such results can already be observed from the work of the "California Fruit Growers Exchange", the "East Virginia Coast Produce Exchange", and, in Michigan, the "Michigan Potato Growers Exchange" and the "Michigan Fruit Growers Federation."

"All producers organizations have included in their constitution efficient production as one of the primary functions. All of them cooperate closely with State and Federal forces working toward economic production of standardized articles. No organization has yet expressed an intent to control and limit production, except perhaps the cotton producers. The controlling factor remains as always "the law of supply and demand", and the expression of this law is ultimately the price paid for the product.

"The future food supply is more certain when prices encourage production than when the returns for the crop leave the farmer too small a margin to finance further production operations.

"The chief concern of the food consumers of America should not be whether food prices shall decline, but whether there will be sufficient food to supply the needs of the people. The only safe insurance for the future is that food production be made a profitable business. The creation of marketing organization is an effort on the part of the farmers themselves to insure the future of their business, which is the basic industry, Agriculture."

If the average married man were thrown out of his regular job he could get one in a restaurant as a waiter.

There is a time for everything—except knocking.

You may be young enough to be foolish but you're never old enough to be foolish.

Many a young soldier who failed to smell powder has come home and tasted it.

A man gets "sore" all over when his son develops the father's bad traits of character, and blames them all on the boy's mother.

You can't keep your ear to the ground and your head in the air.